

EVICCTIONS (IRELAND).

RETURN of the NUMBER of EVICTIONS from Agricultural Holdings which have come to the knowledge of the CONSTABULARY, and also of the NUMBER of TENANCIES DETERMINED in the Quarter ended 30th September, 1908, showing:—

(TABLE I.)—Actual Evictions under the provisions of the Land Law Act, 1887, and under other Processes of Law.

(TABLE II.)—The Number of Tenancies Determined under Section 7 of the Land Law Act, 1887, and under other Processes of Law.

(TABLE III.)—The Number of Evictions, not at suit of the Landlord, for Debt, Foreclosure of Mortgage, &c.

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TABLE I.—RETURN for the Quarter ended 30th September, 1908, of the Number of EVICTED TENANTS and SUB-TENANTS, i.e., of Ex-Tenants and Ex-Sub-Tenants turned out of their Holdings under Section 7 of the Land Law Act of 1887, and of Tenants and Sub-Tenants turned out of their Holdings under other processes of law at the suit of the Landlord, who were not re-admitted as Caretakers or otherwise on the day of Eviction.*

COUNTY.	Number turned out of their Holdings by Writ or Warrant, after having been served with Ejectment Notices under section 7 of the Land Law Act of 1887.		Number turned out of their Holdings under other processes of law at the suit of the Landlord, and not re-admitted as Caretakers or otherwise on the day of the Eviction.	
	Ex-Tenants.	Ex-Sub-Tenants.	Tenants.	Sub-Tenants.
ULSTER:—				
Antrim, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Armagh, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Cavan,	2	.	1	.
Donegal,	1	.	1	.
Down, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Fermanagh, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Londonderry, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Monaghan, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Tyrone, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Total for Ulster,	3	.	2	.
LEINSTER:—				
Carlow, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Dublin, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Kildare, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Kilkenny,	1	.	.	.
King's, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Loughford, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Louth, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Meath, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Queen's, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Westmeath, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Wexford,	1	.	.	.
Wicklow,	1	.	.	.
Total for Leinster,	3	.	.	.
CONNAUGHT:—				
Galway, E.R., . . . . .	.	.	2	.
Galway, W.R.,	1	1	.	.
Leitrim, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Mayo, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Roscommon,	3	.	.	.
Sligo, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Total for Connaught,	4	1	2	.
MUNSTER:—				
Clare,	1	.	.	.
Cork, E.R.,	2	.	.	.
Cork, W.R., . . . . .	.	.	1	.
Kerry,	2	.	1	.
Limerick, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Tipperary, N.R., . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Tipperary, S.R.,	1	.	.	.
Waterford, . . . . .	.	.	.	.
Total for Munster,	6	.	2	.
Total for Ireland for Quarter ended 30th September, 1908,	16	1	6	.
Total for Ireland for Quarter ended 30th June, 1908,	21	3	3	.
Total for Ireland for Quarter ended 31st March, 1908,	30	2	5	.

* Note.—No more statistical approximation can be given to the Number of Tenants and Sub-Tenants really turned out of their holdings. But it is to be remembered that this approximation must be considerably in excess of the number permanently evicted, since this table merely shows the number of Tenants and Sub-Tenants turned out of their holdings, and not re-admitted on the same day, without giving any indication as to the number of those who may be re-admitted as Caretakers or otherwise on the day of the Eviction.

TABLE II.—NUMBER of Tenants whose Tenancy has been determined (1) under Section 7 of the Land Law Act of 1887 (i.e., those who, having received an Ejectment Notice, have been converted into Caretakers), and (2) of Tenants and Sub-Tenants whose Tenancy has been determined under other processes of law at the suit of the Landlord, for the Quarter ended 30th September, 1908.

ended 30th September, 1908.

COUNTY.	(1). Number of Tenants converted into Caretakers by service of Ejectment Notice under Section 7 of the Land Law Act, 1887.	(2). Number of Tenants and Sub-Tenants whose Tenancy has been determined under other processes of Law at the suit of the Landlord, showing also the number of re- admissions in these cases as Tenants, Sub-Tenants, or Caretakers on the day of Ejection.				
	Tenants.	Tenants.	Sub- Tenants.	Number Re-admitted		
				As Tenants.	As Sub- Tenants.	As Care- takers.
ULSTER:						
Antrim,	3	.	.	.	.	.
Armagh,	11	.	.	.	.	.
Cavan,	33	2	.	.	.	1
Donegal,	65	1	.	.	.	.
Down,	15	.	.	.	.	.
Fermanagh,	8	.	.	.	.	.
Londonderry,	15	.	.	.	.	.
Monaghan,	21	.	.	.	.	.
Tyrone,	25	.	.	.	.	.
Total for Ulster,	195	3	.	.	.	1
LEINSTER:						
Carlow,	1	.	.	.	.	.
Dublin,	6	.	.	.	.	.
Kildare,	4	.	.	.	.	.
Kilkenny,	9	.	.	.	.	.
King's,	5	.	.	.	.	.
Longford,	5	.	.	.	.	.
Louth,	4	.	.	.	.	.
Meath,	14	.	.	.	.	.
Queen's,	5	.	.	.	.	.
Westmeath,	8	1	.	.	.	1
Wexford,	4	.	.	.	.	.
Wicklow,	4	.	.	.	.	.
Total for Leinster,	68	1	.	.	.	1
CONNAUGHT:						
Galway, E.R.,	100	2	.	.	.	.
Galway, W.R.,	7	.	.	.	.	.
Lettitrim,	153	2	.	.	.	.
Mayo,	24	.	.	.	.	.
Rooscommon,	40	.	.	.	.	.
Sligo,	40	.	.	.	.	.
Total for Connaught,	394	4	.	.	.	.
MUNSTER:						
Clare,	8	.	.	.	.	.
Cork, E.R.,	5	1	.	.	.	.
Cork, W.R.,	3	1	.	.	.	.
Kerry,	5	.	.	.	.	.
Limerick,	11	.	.	.	.	.
Tipperary, N.R.,	2	.	.	.	.	.
Tipperary, S.R.,	2	.	.	.	.	.
Waterford,	2	.	.	.	.	.
Total for Munster,	34	2	.	.	.	.
Total for Ireland for Quarter ended 30th September, 1908,	619	10	.	.	.	2
Total for Ireland for Quarter ended 30th June, 1908,	443	10	60	3	59	1
Total for Ireland for Quarter ended 31st March, 1908,	290	10	1	.	.	2

NOTE 1.—It should be noted that the number of re-admissions given in Column 2 only include cases where the re-admission occurred on the day of eviction, and no indication can be given of the number who may afterwards be re-admitted.

NOTE 2.—The figures given in Column (1) have been obtained from the Superior Courts and from the Clerks of the Peace, and it is found impossible to furnish satisfactory information which would approach accuracy as to the number of Sub-Tenants who have been converted into Caretakers.

TABLE III.—RETURN of the Number of EVICTIONS (i.e., Tenants and Sub-Tenants turned out of their Holdings), not at the suit of the Landlord, for Debt, Foreclosure of Mortgage, &c., in the Quarter ended 30th September, 1908.

COUNTIES.	Ejected.		COUNTIES.	Ejected.	
	Tenants.	Sub-Tenants.		Tenants.	Sub-Tenants.
ULSTER :—			CONNAUGHT :—		
Antrim,	2	.	Galway, E.R., . . . . .	.	.
Armagh,	2	.	Galway, W.R., . . . . .	.	.
Cavan, . . . . .	.	.	Leitrim, . . . . .	.	.
Down,	1	.	Mayo, . . . . .	.	.
Fermanagh, . . . . .	.	.	Roscommon,	1	.
Londonderry,	1	.	Sligo, . . . . .	.	.
Monaghan, . . . . .	.	.	
Tyrone, . . . . .	.	.	
			Total for Connaught,	1	.
Total for Ulster,	6	.			
			MUNSTER :—		
LEINSTER :—			Clare,	1	.
Carlow, . . . . .	.	.	Cork, E.R., . . . . .	.	.
Dublin, . . . . .	.	.	Cork, W.R., . . . . .	.	.
Kildare, . . . . .	.	.	Kerry,	1	.
Kilkenny,	2	.	Limerick, . . . . .	.	.
King's, . . . . .	.	.	Tipperary, N.R., . . . . .	.	.
Longford,	2	.	Tipperary, S.R., . . . . .	.	.
Louth, . . . . .	.	.	Waterford, . . . . .	.	.
Meath, . . . . .	.	.	
Queen's,	1	.	Total for Munster,	2	.
Westmeath, . . . . .	.	.	
Wexford, . . . . .	.	.	Total for Ireland for Quarter ended 30th Sept. 1908,	14	.
Wicklow, . . . . .	.	.	
			Total for Ireland for Quarter ended 30th June, 1908,	15	.
Total for Leinster,	5	.			
			Total for Ireland for Quarter ended 31st March, 1908,	14	.

NOTE.—One of the Tenants in Kilkenny and the Tenant in Clare were non-resident. One of the Tenants in Longford and the Tenant in Queen's County were re-admitted as evicted.

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